GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS AND CLIMATE CHANGE
LOK SABHA

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Tiger Reserves
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS AND CLIMATE CHANGE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of tiger reserves in the country, State-wise;
(b) the steps taken by the Government to improve the conditions of the said reserves;
(c) the number of eco-sensitive zones declared in these tiger reserves; and
(d) whether any tiger reserve in the country has not been declared as eco-sensitive zone, if so, the details thereof and the time by which the Government is likely to declare it as eco-sensitive zone?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE

(SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR)

(a) The details of Tiger Reserves in the country, State-wise are at Annexure-I.
(b) The Government of India through the National Tiger Conservation Authority has taken several milestone initiatives for protection and conservation of tigers and other wild animals, and the same are at Annexure-II.
(c) & (d) The status of eco-sensitive zones around tiger reserves is as follows:

(i) Notified 1
(ii) Concurred by National Tiger Conservation Authority 19
(iii) Not concurred for want of amendment 19
(iv) Proposal not received 9
Total 48

Time frame shall depend upon response by the States in this regard.

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